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Koch-Renken.

Last Tuesday morning, September 26, 1916, at eight o'clock at St. Mary's Catholic church in Hondo, a wedding was solemnized, uniting Mr. Herman Koch and Miss Helmina Renken in the holy bonds of matrimony. Rev. Father Myers officiating. The attendants were Miss Koch, bridesmaid, and Mr. Willie Ott, groomsmen. After the nuptial mass and ceremony breakfast was served at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Ferd Kilhorn, immediate family of the contract-pieces being present. The happy couple left on the morning train for San Antonio and other points east. The bride is the comely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Renken of Castle; the groom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nic Koch of Do. After a short honeymoon east they are "at home" near Hondo, where Koch is engaged in the farming stockraising business. The happy young couple the Anvil add, in connection with a host of friends, extends felicitations and wishes for a happy and prosperous married life.

Following is a partial list of the out-of-town visitors who were present at the Koch-Renken nuptials here Tuesday morning: Mrs. Aug. Mangold of Castle, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Renken of Groesville, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Koch of Do, Mr. Joe Junker of San Antonio, and Mrs. Eddie Koch and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carle of D'Hanis.

Did You Get One?

If you get a subscription statement and have not yet what a great many have done—the same—let this be a sufficient reminder to cause you to pay up at once. We have cut off all complimentary copies and trimmed our exchange down to the minimum in the hope we can avoid the necessity of increasing the price of subscription. If you desire to keep the paper pay their subscription promptly those who for any reason do not to receive it any longer will pay what they owe us and stop it, so all will help us materially in effort. Do this for us now as you wish us to do by you if our dues were reversed. Remember, mistakes made in the statements be cheerfully corrected when brought to the attention of the writer or the assistant editor. Where errors appear in the statement look up old receipts and bring or send to the office and help us locate error if any exists. Do this for us and greatly oblige, FLETCHER DAVIS, Publisher.

School Notes.

Wish to take this method to thank one that contributed toward the apparatus on the school and a victrola in our school. I wish to state that the amount subscribed is \$173.50. Apparatus put up: Giant stride, \$38.70; slide, victrola, \$67.50; and records. This gives a chance for each to take some beneficial exercise. Enrollment of school is over 300, good work is being done in every moment. Athletic games for boys and girls been organized and supervised by teachers. Visit from patrons at all times is invited. J. W. PEELER, Superintendent.

Rothe-Rudinger.

One of the most popular young people of D'Hanis slipped one over friends Thursday, September 29, 1916, when Mr. Carl F. Rothe and Miss Jane Rudinger came over to and were married, the ceremony being at the court house, his honor, A. M. Lamm, in his most urbane manner officiating. The happy young couple the Anvil extends congratulations and that their married life may be in happiness their fondest wishes.

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Schiedemantel Appointed.

The appointment of Louis W. Schiedemantel of Hondo as construction engineer in the Indian Service, virtually was announced in a letter from Cato Sells, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, to Postmaster George Armistead yesterday. Mr. Schiedemantel, a brother of Mrs. C. B. Watters of San Antonio, was in this city about ten days ago before going to Washington, D. C. He had been connected with the Federal Service in the capacity of an engineer, in the Philippines several years before. Mr. Sells' announcement is as follows:

"I have the telegram from yourself and other San Antonio friends recommending the appointment of Louis W. Schiedemantel as construction engineer in the Indian Service, and take pleasure in advising you that I shall at once make the appointment, both because he apparently has merit and for the reason that you are interested in him.—San Antonio Express.

Bazaar and Dinner.

The ladies of the German Lutheran church of Hondo conducted a bazaar and dinner last Thursday, September 28th, in the Leinweber building.

A large quantity of goat meat and pork was barbecued and a fine dinner was served, which was well patronized, throngs coming from far and near to partake of the excellent dinner prepared for them. In the evening ice cream, soda and cake were served.

The bazaar feature of the efforts of the ladies was also a great success. Many articles were sold. A centerpiece, donated by E. R. Leinweber, was awarded Miss Lizzie Schuehle, the lucky winner, a cuff and collar set, donated by Mrs. L. A. Mechler, was won by Mr. Earl Starnes; a crochet centerpiece, donated by Mrs. Henry V. Haass, was won by Mrs. Arnold Rothe; a centerpiece, donated by Mrs. Jos. Decker, was won by Mrs. Gus Wiemers; a pretty dressed doll, donated by Mrs. H. E. Haass, named Jocelyn. No one guessing the name, was won by Miss Mary Kempf drawing her number—125.

The receipts, after paying expenses, netted the church about \$425.00.

The ladies express their thanks for the many donations, help and patronage given.

Notice, Democrats.

Elmer de Montel, county attorney of Medina county, has been commissioned by the National Executive Committee to solicit and forward campaign funds for the Democratic party. Those desiring to contribute to the re-election of President Woodrow Wilson are, therefore, requested to see him and contribute whatever they desire to this cause.

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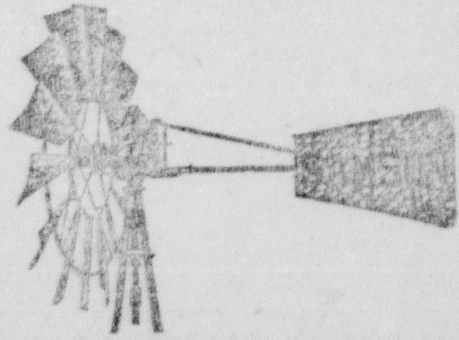
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We are authorized to announce
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as a candidate for reelection to the office of District Judge of the 38th Judicial District.

County Clerk.

Thinking the voters of Medina County for their support in the past, I hereby announce as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Clerk and again ask for your votes and support for the same at the November election.

Respectfully,
S. A. JUNGMAN.

County Treasurer.

I take this means of thanking the voters of Medina County for their support, and announce as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, at the November election.

J. J. DORRICOULT.

County Attorney.

We are authorized to announce
ELMER DE MONTEL
as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Attorney of Medina County, at the November election.

For Sheriff.

We are authorized to announce
J. F. BADER
as a candidate for reelection to the office of Sheriff of Medina County, at the November election.

For Tax Assessor.

In again offering myself as a candidate for reelection to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County, I desire to sincerely thank the people for courtesies heretofore shown me, and should I again be honored with your votes and support it shall be my constant endeavor to prove worthy of your confidence in me. Yours to serve,
L. E. HEATH.

For Tax Collector.

Thanking you for past favors shown me, I again announce myself as a candidate for Tax Collector of Medina County, and solicit your vote and support at the ensuing November election.

Very respectfully,
JOE NEY.

For County Judge

We are authorized to announce
R. J. NOONAN
as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Judge of Medina County, at the November election.

For District Clerk

Thanking you for past favors shown me, I again announce myself as a candidate for District Clerk of Medina County, and solicit your vote and support at the ensuing November election.

Very respectfully,
AUGUST KEMPE.

County Surveyor

We are authorized to announce
H. V. HAAS
as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Surveyor of Medina County, at the November election.

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1.

We are authorized to announce
GEORGE SCHUEHLE
as a candidate for Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
H. M. CROW
as a candidate for Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
H. J. HEYEN
as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For County Commissioner

We are authorized to announce
B. C. WIMMERS
as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
ALBERT L. NEUMAN
as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
B. H. BRUCKS
as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
TOM BOCLAHERTY
as a candidate for County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN E. ELY
as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce
H. E. WURGBACH
as a candidate for reelection to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 2, at the November election.

For Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1

We are authorized to announce
A. M. LAMM
as a candidate for reelection to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the approaching November election.

For Constable.

We are authorized to announce
HENRY MOORE
as a candidate for the office of Constable of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the ensuing November election.

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Words From Home.

Statements That May Be Investigated. Testimony of Hondo Citizens.

When a Hondo citizen comes to the front, telling his friends and neighbors of his experience, you can rely on his sincerity. The statements of people residing in far away places do not command your confidence. Home endorsement is the kind that backs Doan's Kidney Pills. Such testimony is convincing. Investigation proves it true. Below is a statement of a Hondo resident. No stronger proof of merit can be had.

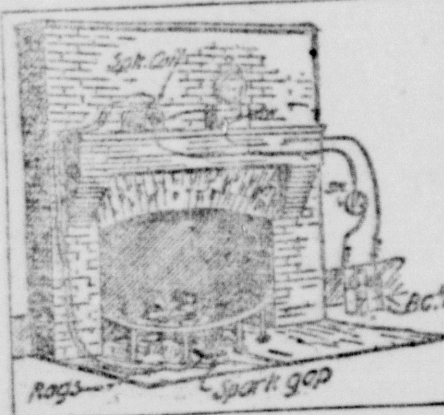
Thos. McCall, carpenter, Hondo, says: "A short time ago I came down with an attack of kidney trouble. I had a severe backache so that I could hardly stoop over or lift anything. My back pained all the time and made it difficult for me to do my work. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Windrow's Drug Store, helped me right away and two boxes removed the trouble. I am glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to others suffering from disordered kidneys."

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spark gap. The gap is connected to the coil and set under the grate. Some rags are bundled up tight and soaked in gasoline or turpentine and put just under the gap. Over the rags are placed some splinters, and then wood and coal.

The alarm clock is wound and set and a loop put in a string over the alarm thumbscrew on the back of the clock. The other end is attached to a small switch coming from the batteries. The other wire from the batteries goes to the spark coil, and the opposite end of the switch connects to the coil. When the clock goes off the thumbscrew will revolve, close the switch and start the coil. The spark will light the rags under the grate and start the fire.—Electrical Experiment.

Bibles Have Right of Way.

It is a somewhat curious fact that the governments of all belligerents have allowed the Bible society to ship its Bible to and fro.

"Since the war began the Bible society has supplied somewhere about 3,000,000 Scriptures to fighting men, prisoners, wounded, interned civilians, and refugees, and during that time the ordinary work has proceeded—the latest ventures of the committee being the opening of a depot in Abyssinia and the fitting up of a floating Bible house to serve the 50,000 miles of the great Amazon water system of South America," says a secretary of the British and Foreign Bible society.

"This interest in the Word of God is one of the really bright spots in the present gloomy world situation, and the news of it should gladden and enhearten all whose faces are turned wistfully toward the East, waiting for the glimmer of a dawn that shall usher in a new and brighter day."

Since the outbreak of hostilities, we are informed, the society's agents have been distributing copies of the Word of God as though no war existed, and, all the depots in the capital of the warring nations are still open—even the Turk has not closed the doors of the depot in Constantinople.

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10:45 p. m.	10:30 a. m.	San Antonio	5:30 p. m.
4:08 a. m.	3:52 p. m.	Mathis	7:00 a. m.
5:00 a. m.	4:20 p. m.	Odessa	12:30 p. m.
6:30 a. m.	5:00 p. m.	Corpus Christi	11:35 p. m.
7:30 a. m.	6:45 p. m.	Kingsville	11:00 a. m.
10:35 a. m.	9:45 p. m.	Hartlingen	8:40 p. m.
11:30 a. m.	10:35 p. m.	Brownsville	6:25 a. m.
			5:10 p. m.
			4:05 p. m.

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SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS

DADDY'S EVENING FAIRY TALE

by MARY GRAHAM BONNER

BROWNIES' FIREWORKS.

"The Brownies had a wonderful Celebration a few nights ago in honor of their old, big friend the Giant, and their little, young friends the Squirrels," said Daddy.

"Brownieland was ablaze with light. It looked as if the Woods were afire, and the old Giant whose feet were on the ground and whose head was up by the top of the tallest pine trees, wore a suit of flame-colored material. You can imagine how much of it there was and that added to the fiery looks of the Woods.

"Then the Brownies had invited the Lightning Bugs and the Fireflies, and as they were all feeling just like a Party they sparkled for all they were worth.

"The little Squirrels didn't do much besides scamper around and run up and down old Mr. Giant, for whenever they wanted to whisper one of their secrets to him, they had to run all the way up from his feet to one of his great big ears!

"And what do you suppose? The Brownies had a Celebration of Fireworks. Really, real Fireworks! All



Brownies Sent Up Sky Rockets.

The Guests sat around or played around while the Brownies sent away up into the air Sky Rockets, Shooting Stars, Roman Candles, and every other sort of light and flame you Children ever heard of.

"Now perhaps you may think that the Fireflies and the Lightning Bugs were jealous. But, not at all! They thought it was splendid to see so much light and they kept lighting themselves all they could so they wouldn't miss anything that was going on. Of course, in that way the Brownies, the Giant and the Squirrels saw much better too.

"Well, after a long time had passed and the Brownies had been sending up the Fireworks for ever and ever so long, they asked the old Giant if he wouldn't honor them by sending up their biggest Sky Rocket.

"He said he would with the greatest pleasure, and as he said it he made a bow which frightened all the Brownies for fear he might fall over and crush them.

"When the Squirrels saw the Brownies trembling a little bit how they did laugh! For they were so friendly with the Giant that they couldn't understand the Brownies being frightened, even for a moment.

"Well," said Mr. Red Squirrel, "I shall take up that Sky Rocket if you like, Brownies, so Mr. Giant can have it in his hands to send it off. It's quite a way up to his hands, you know!"

"Yes," said the Brownies, "but you couldn't lift it all by yourself."

"Well, we'll pull it along—a lot of us will!"

"So all the Squirrels voted on the ten strongest ones who would scamper up to Mr. Giant's hands and pull behind them the Skyrocket.

"At last ten were chosen and the Sky Rocket was put on a piece of bark and carried up by the Squirrels to Mr. Giant's hands. There he sent it off and such a beautiful one it was. Way, way up in the Sky it went and the Brownies fell over and over trying to look as high up as it went before it disappeared from their sight.

"But what do you think that Sky Rocket did up in the Sky? You will never guess, so I'll have to tell you.

"The Squirrels and Giant had a fine idea they had thought of themselves. It really was old Mr. Giant's idea, but he had talked it over so soon with the squirrels that they felt it was their idea too.

"Inside the Rocket they put many little messages to the Shooting Stars up in the Sky. Their messages said, 'Come Shooting Stars to the Brownies' Celebration. We just need you to make the Party perfect.'

"And when the Shooting Stars saw that they had received such flattering invitations they lost no time in shooting down to the Brownies' Celebration—and then scampering off again. But they all arrived in turn and for several hours the Brownies and their guests agreed that never before had such a wonderful Celebration been held in Brownieland—and they all knew it was because of the nice old Giant."

Be Glad You Live on Farm.

If every child were in a home and every home a garden, most of the social ills would disappear. Morally, Be glad you live on a farm.

FRAILTY OR FIDELITY?

By ELSIE SEE.

Abigail Thomas was seated in the visitor's gallery of the state senate one morning, and in her smartly tailored black silk suit and a flowered hat her fair beauty was even more pronounced than usual. The senate was discussing a bill for the control of public utilities by city governments, and Abigail's father had just concluded a speech in its favor.

While the interest was at its height, the heavy swinging doors of the senate chamber opened slowly and there entered a pale, red-faced young woman who looked at the strange scene about her in a confused way.

As the woman slowly approached the brass rail which formed a semicircle dividing the senatorial desks from the seat section for visitors, Abigail Thomas recognized her as Mamie Morton, who, as Mamie Ellis, had been her classmate in grammar school. Only a day or two before, Senator Thomas had spoken of the efforts Mamie was making to have her husband pardoned from state prison, and when Abigail saw her standing there she felt a desire to help her.

Perhaps the desire was made stronger because Abigail was beginning to feel remorseful about a quarrel she had had with Stanley Worth the night before. Stanley Worth was governor of the state and a suitor for Abigail's hand. After proposing to her four times in three months and being given a different reason each time for her refusal, he had told her that although he honestly loved her he would not longer furnish her opportunities for indulging her capriciousness.

Abigail's estimation of him went up many points upon this show of spirit, but a moment later it was consumed in the heat of her wrath, as he gave a semitragic quotation of "Frailty, thy name is woman." So the quarrel continued until Abigail said to herself that she would make him suffer for that contemptuous slander of her sex.

Mamie Morton approached the sergeant at arms and told him she must speak to Senator Thomas.

"I cannot promise that the governor has taken any action," said Senator Thomas in answer to her eager question. "Many matters of state claim his attention at this time, and he may not have had time to look into this."

"But sir," protested the woman, becoming bolder in her suspense. "It has been a whole week since the petitions from our citizens and the judge and jury who tried poor Henry were sent to his office. Henry is innocent, sir, and has already served a year in prison."

"I believe he is innocent," said the senator, "in spite of the circumstantial evidence indicating that he took the money from Jabe Ewing's cash drawer. I hope the governor will come to see it as I do. Come with me, and we will see what has been done."

"And let me go, too, won't you, dad?" asked Abigail, who surprised her father by joining them and greeting Mamie cordially.

When they reached the governor's suite of offices, Senator Thomas gave his card to a smiling secretary, who took it at once into the governor's private office and returned a moment later bidding the senator enter the gubernatorial presence. As they sat waiting, Mamie told Abigail how everything pointed to Henry's innocence.

As the door of the inner office opened, Mamie stopped talking and started from her seat as Senator Thomas entered, followed by the governor. The governor handed Mamie Morton a long folded paper bearing the state seal.

"I am happy to give you this paper, Mrs. Morton," he said kindly. "When you present it to the warden of the prison he will give freedom to your husband."

Senator Thomas quickly guided Mamie to the door and out through the long corridors to the entrance of the building.

In the governor's office, Abigail turned and walked up to Stanley Worth in a way that made him wonder whether his good fortune was a dream. The smiling secretary had discreetly withdrawn to another room.

"Stanley, I came here partly to help that poor woman by being with her in her distress and partly to be present when you have to recognize that the name of one woman, at least, was not frailty. But do you know why I have remained?"

"No, I do not," he said, and his voice sounded queer and unnatural.

"I've remained to say that the fidelity shown by that woman has made me ashamed of what you called my frailty, and to say—" Abigail paused, and her lovely head went higher and her clear blue eyes looked fearlessly into Stanley Worth's gray ones, "that if you're determined not to propose to me again, then I'll take advantage of leap year and propose to you."

The blissful expression brought to the governor's face by this startling confession was partially dimmed the next instant by the shadow of Senator Thomas re-entering the doorway, but he managed to whisper a reply, and the senator wondered what on earth it could be that Abigail had been asking of the governor which brought from him an impassioned assurance that an official confirmation of his decision would be given her at the earliest possible opportunity.

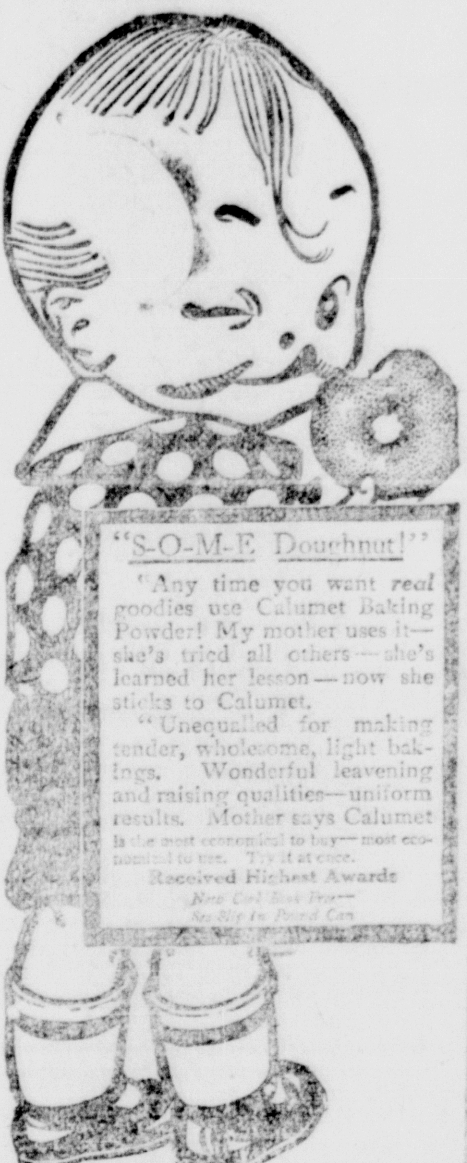
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Dr. Liles, Residence Phone, No. 245

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Hondo, Texas

What Would We Do Without Sugar?



We are so used to sugar that we are likely to forget to give it its properly important place. Right now if somebody asked you what sugar was used for you'd probably say—"Oh! to put in coffee and tea and for making candies and desserts." That's it—we all think of sugar as a sweetener and overlook its value as a food.

The chemists classify sugar as a hydrocarbon—that means that it has, as a hydrocarbon, equal food value with the starchy foods and by digestion largely adds to the fatty tissues of the body.

Why do we eat sugar anyway? Your first answer might be, "Because it is sweet and tastes good." Of itself the answer would be correct, but the more important fact is that the body craves sugar because it needs it. And when the body craves something it gives us an appetite for it. So primarily that's why we like sugar and things made with sugar—and not just because they are sweet.

In view of the fact that sugar has proved so tremendously of help to the body

are interesting because we find that instead of the heavy sugar having gone up it is the FOOD sugar that has saved its price. Yet—even though the price is up we have to have our sweet food just the same.

Certainly the makers of that delicious beverage, Coca-Cola, must have discovered that sugar is up, because one of the principal ingredients in making Coca-Cola is fine cane sugar. Think of it—only one average of 30 tons of sugar a day—about 4 carloads. But unlike many manufacturers that company has itself borne the rise and so you and I pay just the same today for our bottle of Coca-Cola that we've always paid. Incidentally, this phase of the situation is a good reminder of the benefits that come from drinking a pure and good Coca-Cola. Not only does it please our palates, but it gives us a refreshing and invigorating drink. The drink that we need when we are tired and when we are hungry and when we are thirsty. It is a natural and a healthy drink. It has been called "the drink that makes you feel better."

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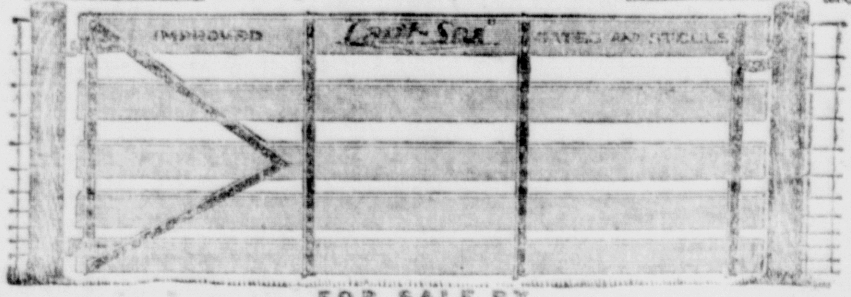
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Replace Your Old Gates With The Low Price Kuntz-Sag

Now is the time to improve the looks and value of your farm by putting up Can't-Sag Gates. Notice how the boards are double-bolted in between 8 angle steel uprights. They can't sag or drag. Stock can see them plainly—won't break them down or twist them out of shape. The first cost is no more than that of the clumsy short-lived all-wood gates, yet they last five times as long.

Build Your Own Can't-Sag Gates

If you prefer to save money. We sell the complete gates ready to hang or just the Gate Steels, which include 8 angle steel uprights, double trans brace, all bolts, hinges, lag screws, lightning socket-wrench and direction sheet. Come in and examine the Can't-Sag Gates near the door you come to town.



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Get it at Windrow's.

Wagon sheets. Holloway Bros.

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Guaranteed Razors. Holloway Bros.

Wizard Floor Mops. Holloway Bros.

Phone us when in need of job printing.

Ready-to-wear hats now on display

at Mrs. Canons.

Eat at the New York Lunch Room.

Tables for ladies. tf

Look at the Toilet Waters in Wind-

row's Show Windows. 1t

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hall visited rela-

tives at Knippa Saturday.

For Sale—Pole Wood and Stumps.

Phone 140. John Frerichs. 27-1f.

Get a Flour Bin or Bread Case on

Cash Purchases at C. R. Gaines.

For plain and fancy dressmaking see

Miss Griffith at the Wonder Millinery.

Let Edwin F. Bendele repair your

windmills, gasoline engines and

pumps. 32-4t

Yes! I have it. All kinds of Reels,

Hooks and Lines. The kind you want

C. R. Gaines.

We can print most any thing in the

job printing line. Get the Anvil Her-

ald's prices. tf

Mrs. Wm. Shaw and daughter, Mrs.

Ragland, after a visit to Mrs. Chas.

Metzger, returned to their home at

Mercedes Thursday.

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L. Barrientes & Sons, phone 200.

Let Edwin F. Bendele repair your

furniture. All work called for and de-

livered to any part of town.

Gasoline stoves and irons repaired.

Work guaranteed. Shop in Metzger

Addition. Edwin F. Bendele.

Let the City Tailor Shop clean and

press your suit. Satisfaction guaran-

teed. Geo. Carle Jr., proprietor.

Cotton Scales. Holloway Bros.

Aluminum ware. Holloway Bros.

Cotton was selling at 14 to 14 1-2c in

Hondo yesterday.

Judge Noonan was a business visitor

in San Antonio Wednesday.

Minkie Moennink is in San Marcos

attending the Southwest Texas Nor-

mal.

W. B. Hardeman and W. E. Russell

of Devine were Hondo visitors this

week.

Yes! I have it. All kinds of Reels,

Hooks and Lines. The kind you want.

C. R. Gaines.

A regular term of the county court

will convene at the court house Mon-

day, October 2.

Mr. Carl F. Rothe and Miss Jane

Rudinger took out a marriage license

September 25th.

We are now paying the highest

market price for Chickens and Eggs.

L. Barrientes & Son.

For Sale.—A choice building site in

desirable part of town for sale cheap.

Apply to Marvin Beal. tf

A good cash discount off on White

Sewing Machines, the world's best

machine, at C. R. Gaines.

A marriage license was issued, Sep-

tember 25th, to Mr. Herman Koch and

Miss Wilhelmina Renken.

Dr. B. B. Liles has moved to Hondo

and will practice his profession here.

He will office with Dr. W. H. Smith.

When your gasoline engine or gaso-

line and irons need fixing call on C. H.

Rolf, at Westfall's blacksmith shop.

If you would be neatly and correctly

dressed let Geo. Carle of The City

Tailor Shop take your measure for a

new suit.

Cotton shipments to date have reach-

ed a total of 3,399 bales, against a

total of 2,338 bales up to same date

last year.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rogers and sons,

Bailey and Lyford, and Mr. and Mrs.

C. C. Rogers attended the Guadalupe

county fair at Seguin this week.

Cleaning and pressing neatly and

correctly done and deliveries promptly

made when you let The City Tailor

Shop do your tailoring. Geo. Carle Jr.

S. F. Minot and wife of San Marcos

were here this week visiting their

uncle, Tom McCluskey, and family.

Mr. Minot is county surveyor of Hays

county.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Sur-

vveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo,

Texas. All legal matters carefully

attended to, in all courts of Texas.

Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

Just received, a supply of Columbia

Batteries—cost less, lasts longer—for

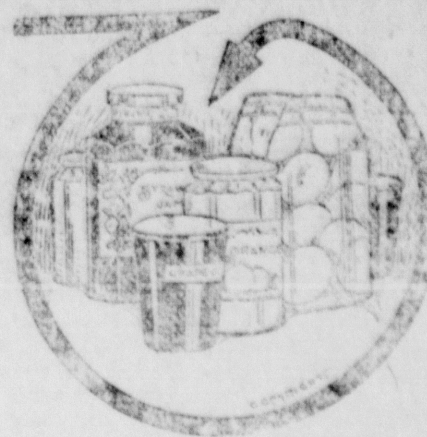
your phone, gas engine, auto, etc.

Give them a trial. Citizen's Motor

Car Co., phone 151, Weyand Bros.,

Proprietors. 11

Let Us Fill Your



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We have everything usually

carried in a first-class family

GROCERY STORE

Our goods are nice and fresh

and are sold at moderate

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We have a full line of the celebrated

Heinz Preserves and Relishes!

Wagon sheets. Holloway Bros.

Guaranteed Razors. Holloway Bros.

Local advertisements pay. Try it.

Bargains in tailored suits at The

City Tailor Shop.

Mrs. F. H. Schweers and children

visited relatives in Uvalde this week.

For Sale—A few Brown Leghorn

Cockers at 50 cents each. J. P.

Lippold. 5-4t.

Mrs. Louis Moehring and children

were passengers to Dunlay Thursday

morning.

All Buggies and Hacks at greatly

reduced prices for cash. Wm. F.

Neuman.

I have everything in Guns and am-

munition at lowest market prices. C.

R. Gaines.

Mr. Eddie Riff and Miss Ida Brucks

were granted a marriage license, Sep-

tember 25th.

A marriage license was granted to

Mr. Ben Koch and Miss Alice Finger,

September 25th.

For Sale—One good jack. Cash, \$30.

Will trade for hogs. Apply to A. B.

Brucks, Hondo, Texas. 6-3t

Mrs. P. F. Christilles returned to

her home at Lacoste Wednesday, after

a visit with friends here.

For Sale Cheap—\$1,900 will buy two

lots and two good houses near the

school house. W. B. Odum.

Why not a Windshield Spot Light on

your automobile. See Horace M.

King for prices and samples.

The only nails in the Billiken shoes

are the nails on the Billykid's toes.

Sold by Hondo Mercantile Co.

O. H. Miller is sporting a new Ford

car, just purchased from the Hondo

Auto Sales Co., distributors of this

popular car in this section.

I now have on display and for de-

monstration at my new headquarters,

the City Garage, a 1917 Model 85

Overland \$795 f. o. b. factory. Ring 199

or come in and see it. Horace M.

King.

Nine car loads of freight were for-

warded from Hondo for the past week,

as follows: 3 cars cotton seed, 1 car of

hay, 1 car cattle, 1 of hogs, 1 car mixed

grain, 1 of bagging and ties and 1

of corn.

Twelve cars of freight were received

here for the past week, to wit: 2 cars

of oil, 2 of lumber, 1 of salt, 1 of beer,

2 of cattle, 1 of flour, 1 of cedar shin-

gles from the state of Washington

and 2 cars of brick.

Miss Nanna Smith, of the South-

western Telegraph & Telephone Co's,

corps of operators in San Antonio,

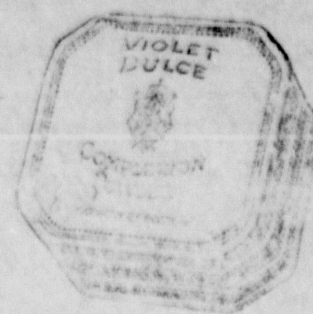
took advantage of her mid-week holi-

day to run out Thursday and spend the

night with homefolks. She returned

to her duty yesterday.

VIOLET DULCE COMPLEXION POWDER



The name stands for the highest quality, being one

of the famous Violet Dulce Complexion requisites.

One of the best qualities of this complexion powder

is that it does not "show" when used properly. De-

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made to measure. We make a specialty

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have an attractive line of the best

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It is guaranteed to stop any puncture and will not rot the inner tube. Call on me for further particulars.

Ernest Bohlen

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Commencing Saturday, Sept. 23rd Every Alternate Saturday promptly at 3 o'clock

we will present to the person who brings to our store tickets calling for the greatest number of points, a beautiful hand-decorated 7-piece Meat or Game Set.

This most interesting plan of distributing premiums is called the "Fair Play" premium plan and we are sure you will be delighted with the beautiful chinaware you can secure free.

You do not pay any more for the goods you buy from us—we simply divide the profits on CASH BUSINESS.

Call and see the chinaware and start saving cash coupons.

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Be the first in your locality to own the wonderful new

SUPER-SIX



It's a new invention—a new discovery. It is one of the biggest improvements ever made in motor-cars. If you want to conquer every other car in your town in hill-climbing, speed, pick-up, economy, durability and beauty, don't miss the Super-Six.

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"Look, Elsie! That's The Way My CONKLIN Writes"

AND it not only means better writing and higher grades—it does the work with speed and smoothness.

Conklin's
Self-Filling
Fountain Pen
NON-LEAKABLE

Old fashioned writing instruments are set aside for this efficient self-filler.

The Conklin is the original self-filler and has over 1,500,000 satisfied users everywhere. Let us show you a Conklin suited to your particular style of writing.

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Cotton Scales. Holloway Bros.
Wizard Floor Mops. Holloway Bros.
Goodrich tires—with an honest
re. pays to pay cash at the City
Garage.
A. Blackburn was up from Biry
Thursday.
J. J. Swearingen left Wednesday
on a visit to Seguin.
J. Moehring was a business caller
this office Saturday.
Chas. J. Stiegler was a business
caller at this office Saturday.
Good gasoline especially filtered by
up-to-date pump at City Garage.
Bring us your country produce. Will
pay you cash for it. L. Barrientes &
Sons, phone 200.
See the Blue Ribbon Trailer for
automobiles. Have a demonstrator on
hand. Wm. F. Neuman.
See our line of Samples and let us
show that new suit for you. The City
Clothing Shop, Geo. Carle Jr., Proprietor.
Mrs. John Davenport came out
from San Antonio last Saturday on a
visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.
Smith.
All kinds of short orders, good,
on home cooking at C. Meaux's,
Latham's old stand, next to post-
office. French Gumbo a specialty.
Mail orders promptly attended to.
Write or come for any and every
thing usually sold in a Drug store.
H. Windrow, Prescription Drug-
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I have accepted the agency
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DODGE

I NOW HAVE A DEMONSTRATOR ON HAND AND
WANT YOU TO SEE IT.

\$850
DELIVERED

O. J. BADER

For service, buy Goodyear tires.
Citizens' Motor Car Co.
Hon. Elmer de Montel, County At-
torney, returned Thursday from a
business trip to San Antonio.

DILWORTH
is Still Selling CHEAPER
For Cash
HONDO, TEXAS

Goodrich Tires to fit any Car. Her-
ace M. King.

Joe and Leonard Pichot left Tues-
day for a visit in Seguin.

Come and see the new style Felt and
Corduroy Hats at Mrs. Haralson's.

Rolf Balzen of Knippa was a busi-
ness caller at this office Wednesday.

Wm. McKinley Schmitt returned
Monday from a visit in San Antonio.
Adolph Haby was over from Dunlay
Thursday and paid this office a busi-
ness call.

I have everything in Guns and am-
munition at lowest market prices. C.
R. Gaines.

John J. Wolff was here from D'-
Hanis Tuesday and paid this office a
business call.

F. J. Rothe Jr. was over from
D'Hanis Saturday and paid this office
a business call.

Your trade is appreciated at City
Garage where "Courtesy and Satis-
faction" is our motto.

Wm. Renken and Joe Biediger of
Castroville attended the Koch-Renken
wedding here Tuesday.

When in trouble on the road and
need a tire, tube, oil or gas, ring 199.
Horace King, City Garage.

Bring us your poultry and eggs.
Will give you the best price for them.
L. Barrientes & Sons, phone 200.

Albert Nester and J. W. Karrer
were over from D'Hanis Tuesday and
were business callers at this office.

For Sale—Fine Rhode Island Red
Eggs for hatching, from a prize win-
ning stock. Can't be beat. Phone
160. 6-4t.

For sale—Mesquite wood. Stove
wood \$2.25 a load; Stumps \$2.00 a load.
Aug. H. Stiegler, Phone, line 1, 2
rings. 8-tf.

I have three rooms to rent for light
house-keeping, partly furnished, bed
room nicely furnished. Mrs. B. Meri-
weather. 7-2t.

Call on us when in need of tires.
We handle Goodyear auto and Bicycle
Tires and accessories. Citizens'
Motor Car Co.

Mr. W. H. Walker and sons, after
a pleasant visit with A. G. Walker
and family left Wednesday for their
home in Eagle Pass.

For Sale—Texas rust proof seed
oats, free from smut, and guaranteed
free from Johnson grass. Edward
Weynand, D'Hanis, Texas. 7-3t.

Mrs. G. W. Monkhouse spent a por-
tion of last week in San Antonio visit-
ing her son, John, and family. She
has returned to her home here.

Freddie Lynch is another Hondo
boy that is away attending school.
Freddie is in Beaumont, and reports
he is well pleased with his new loca-
tion.

Arthur Jungman is another of
Hondo's young men seeking a higher
education. Arthur left Sunday even-
ing for College Station where he en-
tered the A. & M.

For Sale—Four 50x150 foot lots north
of court house in Burnside Addition.
One-half cash, balance on time, or part
cash, balance trade for mules, horses
or cattle. Apply to A. B. Brucks,
Hondo, Texas. 6-4t

John Saathoff is the 'proud' owner of
a new 85-B, Overland.

Get a Flour Bin or Bread Case on
Cash Purchases at C. R. Gaines.

Lee Green returned Thursday night
from a visit to home-folks at Austin.

Commissioner Jno. E. Ney of D'-
Hanis was transacting business here
Friday.

Emil Fuos was over from Dunlay
Saturday and paid this office a busi-
ness call.

For sale—300 acres. Will sell either
pasture or farm land. Apply to Lee
Hardy, Hondo. 7-tf

Fresh threshed maize seed for sale.
Price 75c per bushel. J. E. Merriman,
Phone line 19, Ring 4. 8-2t.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mechier and
children of Lacoste came in Saturday
on a short visit to friends.

Mrs. Jim Goff and children of San
Antonio came out Thursday on a visit
to relatives and friends.

A good cash discount off on White
Sewing Machines, the world's best
machine, at C. R. Gaines.

Mrs. D. B. Martin came over from
Poteet Saturday on a visit to her
daughter, Mrs. Jim Hall.

Mrs. C. Piper and daughter, after a
pleasant visit to Joe Zerr and family,
left Sunday for San Antonio.

Make your car more beautiful and
useful with a set of seat covers.
Prices right. Horace M. King.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dawson and
children of Cuero were guests of Mrs.
J. W. Hollaway and children this
week.

Bring us your casings with blow-
outs and if they are worth repairing
we will tell you so. Citizens' Motor
Car Co.

Why send your casings away when
you can have them vulcanized here?
Prices Reasonable. Citizens' Motor
Car Co.

Roland Gaines and Meliff Lippold re-
turned Monday from an extended visit
with relatives at Center Point and
other points.

If your motor loses compression and
has worn pistons let us sell you an oil
that will prevent the loss of power.
City Garage.

Billiken Shoes cannot pinch but are
sure to tickle. The World's highest
grade child's shoe. Sold by Hondo
Mercantile Co.

Miss Brewster, after a visit here
with her sister, Mrs. Henry Merri-
man, returned to her home in San
Antonio Tuesday.

For Sale—A large cook stove, cheap
and guaranteed to be in first condition.
Only two years in use. For particu-
lars call at this office. 7-3t.

Lost—About two weeks ago in or
about Fred Neuman's yard a child's
chain and locket, with a set in it. Re-
ward for its return to this office. 7-3t

W. C. and R. L. Wisner, two young
men en route from El Paso to Port
Arthur stopped over in Hondo Tues-
day, resuming their journey Wednes-
day.

Dr. W. H. Smith, county health
officer, left Wednesday morning for
Houston, where he attended the con-
vention of the county health officers
in session there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leinweber re-
quest all their friends to be present
at their daughter's marriage, Emilie,
to Mr. Oscar Richarz at the Lutheran
Church, October 8th at 10 a. m.

D. Deckert came out from San An-
tonio Wednesday to look after busi-
ness interests. Mr. Deckert has just
recovered from a siege of dengue
fever, and decided to recuperate in a
healthy and salubrious climate.

For Sale—Two strictly first class
Angora Billys, 3 years old; will shear
9 pounds mohair each per year; will
trade one for an animal of equal value,
and will sell the other. Phone, Hondo,
No. 11, 3-R; post office address, De-
vine, Texas. Henry Bendele. 6-3t

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Repair Anything**

Come in and talk the matter over with us before
buying your lumber elsewhere. We are here to
serve you—to be so useful to you that YOU GET
THE HABIT of sending to us for all of your Build-
ing Material, Brick, Iron Roofing, Paints, Etc.
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PRESERVE YOUR PROPERTY**

Lack of Paint Causes Greater Loss Than Fires

Palladium Paint
STOPS RUST---STAYS ROT

They Said it Couldn't Be Done But We Did It

PALLADIUM PAINT

IS THE

ONLY PAINT

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Timely Topics Tersely Told.

BY FLETCHER DAVIS,

Field Agent, The State Department of Agriculture, in the Southwest Farmer and Investor for September.

The well known recuperative powers of Southwest Texas were never better or more forcibly illustrated than at the present time. As late as the middle of June just past, a large section of Southwest Texas had endured the worst drought any of the oldest inhabitants could remember, and many

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running ear or impaired hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. It is not a cure, but a relief. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

people were quitting the country in despair. Cattle were being shipped to pastures everywhere and except for a few isolated fields of early and deep-planted crops, there was little to indicate that this is a farming section. Now this is all transformed. The rains came the latter part of June and at this writing (the middle of August) cattle are rolling fat on the ranges, grass is knee high in many places and wild flowers are blossoming by the wayside. Crops of cotton, corn and the grain sorghums planted since the rain are promising abundant yields, and Sudan grass has, in some instances, already yielded a good forage crop and there are prospects for two more cuttings before frost. This is a two-crops-a-year country and this year the fall crop promises to be as large as the all-year crop in the best States in America. Corn planted here during August will fully mature and produce as many bushels per acre as

spring planted corn.

In the midst of one's elation over the evidences everywhere of returning prosperity for this section, one can but feel a pang of regret that so many good people, when the crisis came, threw up the sponge, sacrificed their holdings here, and sought greener fields and fairer prospects elsewhere. The man who held on with grim determination through whatever vicissitudes that presented themselves, is now in a position to get in on the ground floor and ride the rising elevator of returning prosperity to the roof-garden of success. The man who sticks is the man who wins.

Sudan grass is constantly proving its value as a forage crop in this section. As an example in point, I wish to relate the experience of C. O. Owen of Fowlerston this season. Mr. Owen planted about three acres of Sudan grass about July 10th. He irrigated it one time to bring it up. He pastured a calf and thirty head of cows and pigs on it from the time it was well up and in twenty-five days cut a fair crop of hay from the same land. When seen by the writer about fifteen days later it was nearly ready to cut again without any further irrigation and with the livestock still on it. Truly Sudan is a wonderful grass.

One of the problems of stock-feeding in Southwest Texas has been the lack of nutritious foods, all the sorghums, even Sudan grass, being deficient in these elements. In their search for a remedy for this condition the irrigation farmers of the Fowlerston section have been experimenting for the past three years with alfalfa with marked success. They get nine cuttings a year of about a ton per acre each cutting. To do this, they usually irrigate after each cutting. The hay has sold readily at \$15.00 per ton on the local market and is proving such a profitable crop that there will be a large acreage planted to this crop this fall. To grow alfalfa successfully, however, one must have a soil suitable to it—to be found in most any soil formation in the valleys of this section—and be prepared to irrigate it. While on the other hand, the sorghums can be grown on most any kind of soil either with or without irrigation.

The moral to be drawn from these somewhat rambling reflections must be obvious. The sooner the stockman combines a little more farming with his stock-raising and the farmer combines more stock-raising with his farming, the better it will be for all concerned. By growing and conserving feed for his stock, the stockman can avoid such losses as he suffered during the recent drought; and by growing crops that he can convert on his farm into hoof and horn and drive to market, the farmer can conserve the fertility of his soil and avoid the inevitable losses incident to growing large quantities of perishable products remote from the markets. A hint to the wise is sufficient and only the fool or the sluggard fails to profit from the lessons of experience.

Sorghums can be grown on most any farm by dry farming methods in an ordinary season, and there are many water-courses and draws that can be dammed at moderate cost and—where artesian wells are not to be had—may be made to serve to grow enough alfalfa by irrigation to make of the dry-farmed sorghum grain, ensilage and stover a balanced ration for fattening stock on the ranch where grown. And whereas, as has been proven by extensive experiments, a hundred pounds of beef can be produced at a cost of \$5.34 in the South, it costs, on an average, \$9.08 to produce the same weight in the North, it is but little short of criminal folly for Texas to ever ship any but fat cattle from her borders.

If it is not possible to produce alfalfa, the proximity of the stock farm to the cotton oil mill makes it possible for cottonseed meal to furnish a valuable substitute for balancing the sorghum rations at a minimum cost. In fact, this has been the prevailing feed and it is only since the price is ranging high that stockmen are thinking seriously of other feeds, one of the best of which is alfalfa.

And speaking of cottonseed meal reminds us that the high prices offered by the mills for seed now is going to make planting seed very high next spring. Every cotton planter should make sure of his supply for next year and let no price tempt him to part with them. If you have a variety of cotton that is any good at all, select your seed from your own farm. Select healthy stalks of uniform size and shape and with short-jointed, well-fruited limbs. Pick for your seed cotton from well matured, healthy bolls growing near the center of the stalk, and gin separately from your other cotton and preserve your seed in a dry, cool place. A few years of persistent care of this kind will develop an improved strain of your own. This can be hastened by growing a seed patch every year from careful hand selection.

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The editor of your county paper always stands in need of a bushel of potatoes, a sack of water-ground meal, or some such farm product, and would be glad to swap you some nice printed envelopes and paper to match for these things.

It would pay you to do some trading with this man, who is doing a lot in his way to help you, so next time you are in town talk it over with him. Before giving the order talk it over with the wife and family, and decide on an appropriate, catchy name for your farm and then—live up to it.—President Charles S. Barrett in National Field.

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Lacoste Ledger Laconics.

Friday, Sept. 15th Miss Elzora Mangold gave a play party at her home in honor of Miss Cornelia Wurzbach of Cliff who is spending the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Schmidt of Devine spent Sunday with relatives here. Jacob Stein of Cliff and Wm. Lieber of Red Wing were here on business last Saturday.

Misses Nora, Mayme and Lizzie Loessberg left for San Antonio where Miss Mayme and Lizzie will attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz Rinn and daughter, Miss Leontine, and Mr. and Mrs. Rinn and family from Castroville were here visiting relatives Tuesday.

J. L. Mechler was a business visitor in San Antonio Tuesday.

Alex Jungmann from Castroville was here on business Monday.

Alvin Wurzbach of Cliff was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Miss Celestina Weynand from D'Hanis was visiting friends here one day last week.

Wilfred Wernette of Castroville was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Frank Jungmann was visiting relatives and friends at Devine Saturday and Sunday.

Alex Jungmann returned home last Saturday from a business trip to east Texas.

Arthur Reymann, who was staying in San Antonio returned home for a week.

John Conrad from Noonan was transacting business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kempf of Atascosa were shopping here the latter part of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Braden and two sons of San Antonio were visiting here last Sunday evening.

Messames Frank and Edm. Keller were in San Antonio on business and pleasure Wednesday.

Mrs. L. C. Luckenbach and children are visiting relatives in San Antonio this week. While staying there little Everett took very sick.

Bad Temper From Bad Liver.

You can generally blame your grouchy on a lazy liver. Liver ills are back of coated tongue, bad breath, biliousness and maddy, sallow complexion. Insufficient flow of bile leaves impurities in the liver which poison the entire system. Po-Do-Lax is Nature's remedy. It stimulates the activity of the liver, increases the flow of bile, and by its laxative quality carries off the waste matter and clears the complexion. At your Druggist, 25c.

God has created me, God is within me, I carry him about every where.

Shall I defile Him with obscene thoughts, unjust actions, or infamous desires? My duty is to thank God for everything, to praise Him for everything, to thank Him, praise and serve Him continually while I have life.—Epictetus.

He Was Worried And Hopeless.

"For ten years I was bothered with kidney trouble," writes T. F. Hutcherson, Little Rock, Ark. "I was worried and had almost given up all hopes. I used five boxes of Foley Kidney Pills and am now a well man." Foley Kidney Pills drive out acids, pains, rheumatism and all kidney trouble symptoms. Sold everywhere, and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

It is a vain thought to flee from the work that God appoints us for the sake of finding a greater blessing to our own souls, as if we shall find the fullness of divine presence instead of seeking it where alone it is to be found, in loving obedience.—George Eliot.

Cured Her Two Little Girls.

Mrs. Ada Sanders, Cottonwood, Tenn., writes: "We use Foley's Honey and Tar as our best and only cough remedy. It never fails to cure my two little girls when they have colds." Relieves hoarseness, tickling throat, bronchitis, hay fever, asthma, croup. Sold everywhere, and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

A thrill passes through all men at the reception of a new truth, or at the performance of a great action, which comes out of the heart of nature. By the necessity of our constitution a certain enthusiasm attends the individual's consciousness of that Divine presence.—Emerson.

How to Give Good Advice.

The best way to give good advice is to set a good example. When others see how quickly you get over your cold by taking Chamberlain's Cough Remedy they are likely to follow your example. This remedy has been in use for many years and enjoys an excellent reputation. Obtainable everywhere.

For Sale, a five-room house and two acres of land in the north part of town, known as the Causey place. This property will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply to Fletcher Davis, Agent, Hondo, or to R. I. Risinger, Owner, Tarpley, Texas.

Autumn Appetizers.

Corn Relish.—One dozen ears of corn, one head of cabbage, five red peppers, eight onions and one bunch of celery. Chop the cabbage and allow to stand in brine for one-half-hour. Boil in the same brine until tender, and drain. Cut the corn from the cobs, cover with vinegar and cook until tender. Then drain, add the cabbage, onions chopped, celery chopped, and peppers from which the seeds have been removed and chopped, and mix together. Put into a saucepan three cupsful of vinegar, two pounds of brown sugar, one-fourth pound of mustard, one tablespoonful of turmeric powder and one-half cupful of flour, and boil until smooth, stirring all the time; then pour over the corn mixture and seal in glass jars.

Chutney.—Thirteen large ripe, red tomatoes or one can of tomatoes, thirteen sour apples, three pints of cider vinegar, four tablespoonfuls of salt, three large Spanish onions, two cupfuls of brown sugar, two tablespoonfuls of ground mustard, one pint of seedless raisins, one-half teaspoonful of red pepper, one-half dozen hot peppers; chop all these ingredients together and cook very slowly for one hour, stirring frequently. Pour into bottles or glasses and seal.

Pepper Hash.—Twelve green peppers, twelve red peppers, twelve onions, one bunch of celery, one cupful of sugar, three teaspoonfuls of salt and one quart of vinegar. Chop the peppers, onions and celery, cover them with boiling water and allow to stand for twenty minutes. Drain and add the sugar, salt and vinegar. Cook for twenty minutes, and seal in jars.—From "My Favorite Recipe," in The People's Home Journal for September.

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Irving Bachelier, Head of Newspaper Syndicate, Would Buy Up All Great Auk Eggs in Existence.

When Irving Bachelier was running a newspaper syndicate and publishing a juvenile magazine in New York he always sat in a large porch rocking chair before a fat desk so heaped with letters that every few minutes a little epistolary avalanche would shoot down from it to the floor. One day Orson Lowell, the artist, who was a partner in the magazine, found him in a more than usually meditating mood, and said to him:

"What's the matter, Irving; got an idea?"

"Yes," answered Bachelier, very slowly, "a big one. One that will make us all rich. You know the great auk is extinct, and that there are only four of its eggs in existence. They are worth thousands of dollars apiece, and a great auk itself would be priceless. My notion is to get these eggs and hatch 'em."

"But how will you hatch them?" asked Lowell.

"Oh," answered Bachelier, visibly annoyed, "I haven't given that point any thought yet. But it's a mere detail—a mere detail. The plan is bound to succeed. And it will make us all rich."—Woman's Home Companion.

Head-Off That All-Winter Cough.

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Are You Looking Old.

Old age comes quick enough without inviting it. Some look old at forty. That is because they neglect the liver and bowels. Keep your bowels regular and your liver healthy and you will not only feel younger but look younger. When troubled with constipation or biliousness take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are intended especially for these ailments and are excellent. Easy to take and most agreeable in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

War begun, let loose.—Italian Proverb.

HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Cañon, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during this time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good.

I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

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Your druggist or dealer sells you a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone under my personal guarantee that it will clean your sluggish liver better than nasty calomel; it won't make you sick and you can eat anything you want without being salivated. Your druggist guarantees that each spoonful will start your liver, clean your bowels and straighten you up by morning or you get your money back. Children gladly take Dodson's Liver Tone because it is pleasant tasting and doesn't gripe or cramp or make them sick.

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How to Avoid One Cause of Sickness

There can be only one result when the intestines are clogged with a decomposing mass of undigested food. The blood circulating in the capillaries of the intestines will pick up more poisonous waste than can be thrown out by the kidneys and other blood-purifying organs and the whole system is quickly impregnated with disease-causing impurities.

Foley Cathartic Tablets thoroughly evacuate the intestines. They not only aid the action of the bowels in removing the clogged mass without straining or nausea, but they help clear the walls of the intestines and keep them free from cancerous matter.

With bowels open and regular, there is never likely to be biliousness, gas, bloating, sick headache, sour stomach or the other ills that constantly attend indigestion and constipation.

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ASTROVILLE ANVIL SPARKS

Department is in charge of our Astroville Agent for Castroville.

ED. H. HUEHNER, Editor

and Mrs. William Renken and his wife are visiting relatives and friends in Hondo. Kilborn is on the sick list this week-end.

Alto ranch were shopping here week-end.

Mrs. Chas. Suehs spent Sunday with Mrs. M. Miller and daughters at Rabbit Ranch.

Adames Willie and Robert Rihn are visiting relatives in San Antonio.

Mr. Schorp and Miss Ida Ihnken and Mr. and Mrs. Gerhart Ihnken are visiting in Galveston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Zuercher visited in Lacoste Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Mechler and the sons of Lacoste visited here day.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bles, daughter, at the Diversion Dam.

Mrs. Pete Eiserloh and children of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schmitt and Miss Schmitt are visiting in Galvesto.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tornage of Mount, Texas, after spending a week with his sister, Mrs. H. W. of Eagle Pass, stopped over at Hondo, accompanied by their niece, Louise, oldest daughter of De- Sheriff and Mrs. Etter, to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wednesday night they, with Louise, returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haby and a daughter, Leakey were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Kilborn Monday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Tachirhart, aged about two years, died Tuesday evening and the body was laid to rest Wednesday evening at the Catholic cemetery, Rev. Father Heckman performing the last sad rites. We join the entire community in sympathy with the bereaved and grief-stricken ones.

Alfred, the eleven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kauffmann of Riohina, had the misfortune to, while playing to feed his father's teams, from a feed stack into the prongs of a pitchfork Wednesday evening, was at once brought to town for medical attention. Fortunately it was not that only fleshy parts had been injured. At this writing he is getting well all right.

Chas. Maurer, our cigar maker, died from our midst to Seguin with a family to locate. We hate to see a family and his good family leave us, to join his many friends in wishing him all possible success.

Messrs. H. F. Wurzbach, Wm. Kauffmann and Leo Tachirhart made an important business trip to Lacoste the middle of the week.

Gus, Brieden of Devine was a Castroville business visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stricker and daughter, Miss Stella, and son, John, of San Antonio, paid a visit to folks and friends in our midst Sunday.

A heavy electrical storm, accompanied by a 8.10 inch rain, visited this

OFFERED FROM BACKACHE, RHEUMATISM, DROPSY.

Dear Mr. Editor:—"I wish to tell you a recent experience I had when suffering from backache, weak back, rheumatism, dropsy, and congestion of the kidneys. I used a new medicine, called 'Anuric,' which has recently been discovered by Dr. King, of whose medicines and Surgical Appliances in Buffalo, N. Y., you have no doubt heard for years. This medicine had upon me in a wonderful manner. I never have taken any medicine so helpful in such quick time. I do wish anyone who needs it would give it a trial."

(Signed) O. H. Hearn.

Note.—If backache, swelling, or frequent urination blood or distressed urine acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, lumbago, gout, neuralgia or sciatica, if you suspect that you have kidney trouble, send 10 cents to Doctor King, at "Invaluable" Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for a large trial package or at all druggists 50-cent package.

Rheumatism Follows Exposure.

In the rain all day is generally followed by painful twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Sloan's Liniment will give you quick relief and prevent the twinges from becoming torture. It quickly penetrates without rubbing and soothes the sore and aching joints. For sore, stiff, exhausted muscles that ache and throb from overwork, Sloan's Liniment affords quick relief. Bruises, sprains, strains and other minor injuries to children are quickly soothed by Sloan's Liniment. Get a bottle to-day at your Druggist, 25c.

Speaking at Upper Hondo.

The past week there was a speaking of great importance here.

Hon. Fletcher Davis, field agent of the Department of Agriculture, was the first to speak. He spoke along the lines of soil preservation or more than that, keeping its fertility.

Judge Kone was the next to speak and spoke from his own experience along the line of farming.

A fairly good number of the community was present and it is believed that these two gentlemen gave some valuable hints which if followed would result in much good.

The speakers left here for Tarpley the next day where they spoke to the school children and at night to the general public.

ONE PRESENT.

Changing Seasons Brings Colds.

"Stuffed-up head," clogged-up nose, tight chest, sore throat are sure signs of cold, and Dr. King's New Discovery is sure relief. A dose of this combination of antiseptic balsams soothes the irritated membrane, clears the head, loosens the phlegm, you breathe easier and realize your cold is broken up. Treat a cold persistently; half-way measures leave a lingering cough. Take Dr. King's New Discovery until your cold is gone. For 47 years the favorite remedy for young and old. At your Druggist, 50c.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Minot and daughter of San Marcos are visiting relatives here.

Mrs. E. J. Monkhouse was over from Knippa Tuesday.

Mrs. Ousette of San Antonio came out Tuesday to visit her sisters, Mrs. Oscar and Mrs. Robert Shane and returned last night.

Mr. Joe Richarz, Jr. went to Hondo Saturday evening on a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rothe of Seec were in Sabinal yesterday.

Mr. J. C. Finley made a trip to Hondo last Saturday.

Our Jitney Offer—This and 5c.

DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. Sold everywhere, and in Hondo by W. H. Windrow.

So far as a man thinks, he is free. Nothing is more disgusting than the crowding about liberty by slaves, as most men are, and the flippant mistaking for freedom of some paper preamble like a "Declaration of Independence" or the statute right to vote by those who have never dared to think or act.—Emerson.

Best Treatment for a Burn.

If for no other reason, Chamberlain's Salve should be kept in every household on account of its great value in the treatment of burns. It allays the pain almost instantly, and unless the injury is a severe one, heals the parts without leaving a scar. The salve is also unequalled for chapped hands, sore nipples and diseases of the skin. Price, 25 cents. For sale by All Dealers.

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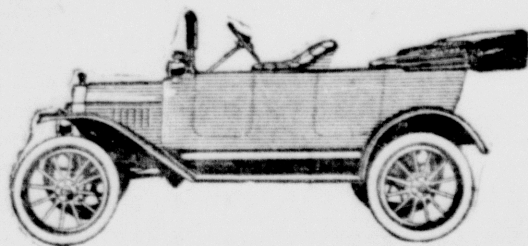
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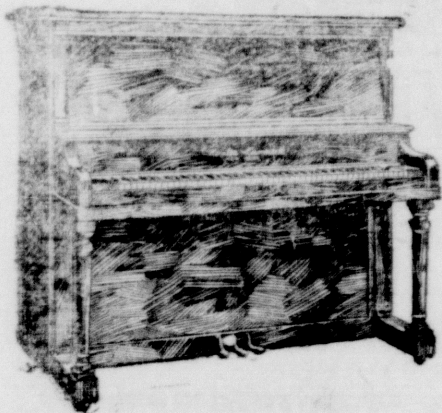
I am the agent at Hondo for the Mebane Cotton Seed grown by the A. D. Mebane Cotton Seed Company of Lockhart, Texas, of which Company A. D. Mebane, the originator of this variety, is the president. If you want some of these famous seed place your order with me early. Price \$2.00 per bushel. Telephones 216 and 43.

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Locals.

Felix Batot and son returned Monday from a visit in San Antonio.

Mrs. F. G. Muennink left Monday for San Antonio on a visit to relatives. Emil Graff and daughter, Miss Lena, are guests of relatives at Brackettville.

Frank Rothe of D'Hanis was visiting friends and transacting business here Thursday.

Rev. H. S. Ball of Yancey returned Monday from Sabinal where he filled an appointment.

Mrs. Lee Sorrels and children left Monday for San Antonio to join Mr. Sorrels, who has employment there.

Drs. Bradley and Meyer are having the Mask building remodeled and when completed it will be occupied by them for offices and operating rooms.

Sr. Francisco Carmago and Srta. Andria Sanchez were married on Fred Neuman's farm last Saturday. Judge A. M. Lamm performing the ceremony.

THE SECO PRESSED BRICK CO. has shipped a car of CHEAP BRICK, SUITABLE FOR CESSPOOLS, ETC., to each of the lumber yards at Hondo. See them about these bricks.

Dr. J. H. Fletcher was here this week attending to his business affairs. We are sorry to report that Dr. and Mrs. Fletcher are to move from our midst to Freeport within a few days.

A nice shower of rain, sufficient to lay the dust and temporarily cool the atmosphere, fell here Monday morning. It covered but little territory and was not enough to be of much benefit to fall gardens or pastures.

The following suits were filed in the District court recently: Walker-Moore Co. vs. Coopwood-Littleton Company, suit on debt; Cora Brooks vs. Ross Brooks, suit for divorce; Mamie Tanner vs. Charles Tanner, suit for divorce.

Miss Harriet Stracener has resigned as night operator at the Hondo telephone exchange, and left Friday morning for Putnam, where she will reside with her uncle, Rev. W. W. Caldwell. Miss Doris McVea has accepted the position vacated by Miss Stracener.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Faselier died at their home at Yancey last Saturday and was buried Monday. The little fellow was about two months old. Mr. and Mrs. Faselier have the sincere sympathy of their friends in their bereavement.

"Why of cose" Assessor L. E. Heath is sporting a spic and span new Ford car. "Old Betsy," advancing in years and somewhat inclined to rheumatism, will be retired for the winter to keep her out of the cold, damp weather incident to this time of year.

Quite a number of troop trains have been passing through Hondo this week—some going east to be mustered out, others going west to take their turn at doing duty on the border. A portion of the North and South Carolina state troops went west Thursday.

Messrs. D. H. Reynolds of Palacios and E. L. Roberts of Burnham, two blacksmiths and machinists, who passed through here last week, returned Tuesday, and, deciding that Hondo is the best town they had struck on their journey, have located here. Mr. Reynolds was born and raised in Bandera county and is well and favorably known to some of our citizens. It has been several years since he visited our thriving little city and its rapid, though substantial growth, is a revelation to him.

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Judge W. K. Mask of Jourdan has returned home after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends here. Mr. Mask wants to move back here but says it is cheaper to live in Jourdan than Hondo as even the Jourdan water exhilarates and makes a person talk!

The Uvalde Baptist Association convened with the Hondo Baptist church Thursday, about sixty of the leading Baptists of the district, both ministers and lay members being present. We hope to be able to give a synopsis of the work done by the Association in our next issue.

Poll taxes are now due and the collector is ready to relieve you of your coin. Receipts are the same old price—\$1.75—spot cash, and there is no reduction in price if sold in large quantities. If you wish the right to abuse the government, which you have not if you fail to qualify as a voter, step into the collector's office before the 1st day of February, 1917, and secure a receipt. The collector will offer no extra inducements for you to secure a receipt as the time limit approaches, no premium tickets or other means will be used to boost business, so you might as well step into the collector's office the first time you are in the vicinity of the court house and secure the right to participate in any elections that may be held the coming year. Step in early and avoid the rush.

Epworth League Program.

Oct. 1, 1916.

Leader—Miss Willie Fly.

Opening song.

Subject—The Consecration of School Life.

Scripture Lesson, Prov. IV, 1-13.

Prayer.

Song.

Talk by Leader.

Talk—What School Life Means.

Mrs. P. L. Crain.

The Consecration of Personal Powers.

Mrs. Sid Carter.

Vocal Solo, Selected, Miss Willie Barton.

Talk—Living for others, Horace King.

Songs, Special, by Blues and Reds, respectively.

Announcements.

League Benediction.

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Program Junior League.

Sunday, 3 p. m., October 1st.

Leader—Irene Roberts.

Bible Reading, Prov. 2, 1-7 verses.

Song, "Yield Not to Temptation."

Sentence Prayers.

Responsive Reading, The Beatitudes.

Guarding our thoughts.

By Boat and Sedan Chair—Emma Short.

Our Work In Korea—Gladys Woolls.

Work in our Home Land—Gladys Newton.

Catechism Lesson, Chapter 15.

Song, "God Will Take Care of You."

Benediction.

Answer roll call with Bible verse containing the word "joy."

Ice Cream Supper at Yancey.

Friday night, September 22, was the first opportunity for using the beautiful lawn which Mr. Hickman has so carefully tended during the summer, when the sixth and seventh grades of the Yancey school gave an ice cream supper for the benefit of the school library. The sum of \$22.00 was added to the school library fund.

Great credit should be given these little folks for their willingness to aid in improving their school.

We were pleased to notice that some of Hondo's folk were present on this occasion. Will always welcome them in our midst.

To My Friends and Customers.

I will spend the next month in Medina county and ask that you don't buy your fruit, shade or ornamental trees until you see me.

I understand a certain man is now in Medina county making statements about Mr. Ramsey and his nursery that are utterly false and untrue, and last year delivered trees in one portion of my territory with out-of-date inspection certificates which is now, or soon will be, investigated by the state authorities. Respectfully,

JOHN A. HEAD.

Preaching at Hondo.

Evangelist W. A. Martin will preach at the Church of Christ at Hondo, October the first.

There will be three services on Sunday. The subject Sunday morning at eleven o'clock will be "In Peaceful Hands." At 3:30 p. m. a general Bible study will be conducted; questions will be asked and answered. Our subject for Sunday night at 7:30 will be "The Ours of the Bible."

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—William Ellery Channing.

War is a game which, were their subjects wise, kings would not play at.—Cowper.

Jack Bendele came in Monday from the east.



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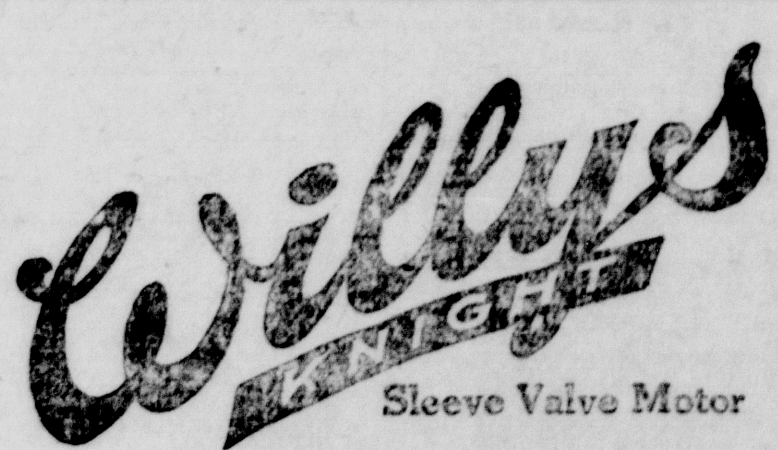
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